ALCOHOL & DRUG POLICY COUNCIL (ADPC) Recovery and Health Management Sub-Committee Minutes June 14, 2018

CCAR Recovery Center, Hartford, CT

PRESENT: Jennifer Chadukiewicz, Donna Knopf, Jason Bannon; Ben Metcalf; Hector Maldonado; Ana Gopoian. Staff Present: Lauren S., Marsha Murray

Topic	Discussion	Action
New Members	The group welcomed Hector and Ana.	
"Language of Recovery" handout	No further work.	Continue to distribute and utilize.
Recovery Friendly Communities Guidelines	We continued to discuss the concept of Recovery Friendly Communities and reviewed the next draft of the "rubric"/guidelines.	LS to revise the Guidelines with feedback from today's discussion.
Guidelinies	Feedback and fine tuning of the document. Status of community conversations: New London: on hold Danbury: A conference called is scheduled by Taylor at the Mayor's Office in Danbury with a number of local stakeholders. Manchester: on hold Wallingford: Jason did some initial reaching out to Wallingford and got no response. He will continue to find a receptive contact there. Fairfield: Allie believes that she has a contact in Fairfield that would be interested in moving this forward in that community. Vernon: Bill expressed an interest in pursuing something in Vernon. Ana: Ana believes there are some good initial efforts there that may result in the town agreeing to pilot the Guidelines. She will pursue. Ongoing discussion about the role of committee members providing technical assistance as well as the development of a support document/manual.	To Do: Jennifer will continue working with Danbury. Jason will continue to try to locate a contact in Wallingford. Allie will put feelers out in Fairfield. Bill will put his feelers out in Vernon. Ana and Hector will check out Southington.
Possible recommendation to full Council	"The ADPC endorses the final set of guidelines (that has been piloted in 2-3 communities) and these will be made available to other cities/towns that are interested in becoming "recovery friendly"."	

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Next Sub-Committee Meeting		7/12/18, 9:00 am – 10:30 am; location TBD
Next meeting of the ADPC		June 19, 10:00-12:00